

## Does This Go in the Redbag?



## YES!!

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**Cultures & Stocks** 

**Blood & Body Fluids** 

**Contaminated Sharps** 

and <u>all</u> needles, syringes with attached needles, suture needles and scalpels

Anything considered "Infectious" wastes

NEVER!!

**Personal Hygiene Items:** diapers, facial tissues, sanitary napkins, incontinenace products

**When Empty:** Urine collection bags & tubing, IV solution bags & tubing, colostomy bags, ileostomy bags, urostomy bags, plastic fluid containers, enteral feeding containers & tubing, hemovacs, and urine specimen cups (unless item could potentially release liquid, dried blood or body fluids)

**These Items:** Catheters (urinary, suction), plastic cannula, IV spikes, nasogastic tubes, oxygen tubing and cannula, ventilator tubing, enema bags & tubing, enema bottles, thermometer probe covers. (unless the item could potentially release liquid or dried blood or body fluids)

Absorbent I tems unless saturated

(can you squeeze blood out of it?)

Plastic wrapping, newspapers, soda cans, food containers, etc, etc!